

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to correct a typographical error at page 4. That is "WO03/516324" has been corrected to "JP-A-2003-516324(WO01/038352)", which is the correct document cited in the international search report. No new matter has been added.

Enclosed herewith is a substitute Sequence Listing in both paper and computer readable form as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c) and (e). Amendments directing its entry into the specification have also been incorporated herein. The content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same and no new matter has been added.

The original Sequence Listing has been revised to correct an inadvertent typographical error. SEQ ID NO: 24 in the Sequence Listing contains an unnecessary letter "t" at position 1. Support can be found in the disclosure, for example, at page 43, line 7. This amendment corrects this error by replacing SEQ ID NO: 24 in the Sequence Listing with that on page 43 of the specification. No new matter has been added.

The Sequence Listing has also been revised to update the biographical information to conform with US practice. No new matter has been added.

Also, in SEQ ID NOS: 30, 31, 33 and 34, the term "Combined DNA/RNA Synthetic Construct" was added after "SiRNA;" in item <223>, because the recited sequences contain nucleotides for both RNA and DNA. No new matter has been added.

The substitute Sequence Listing has been run through the PTO Checker software (version 4.4.0) and no errors were found.


In view of the foregoing, it is believed that the application complies with the Sequence Rules under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821-1.825.

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Favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Revised Sequence Listing (paper copy and computer readable form).